

REPORT THAT ZELAYA WILL FLEE

Telegrams Delayed in Transmission Received at the State Department

OUR CONSUL THREATENED BY ZELAYA

Permission Granted United States Official to Occupy the Legation Premises at Managua as Being More Safe and Secure—President of Nicaragua Vainly Appealed to Mexico for Aid in Case of American Intervention

Washington, Nov. 29.—The United States consul at Managua has been threatened by President Zelaya, and has been granted permission to occupy the legation premises as being more secure. The Nicaraguan consul will assemble next Wednesday, December 1, and it is rumored that President Zelaya will retire, and possibly attempt to escape from the country at night by way of the Pacific coast. Anarchy may ensue. Persistent rumors from various quarters indicate that Zelaya may succeed Zelaya as president at Managua.

Delayed Telegrams.
This information is embodied in telegrams more or less delayed in transmission, which have been received at the state department from the consular representatives of the United States in Nicaragua.

Two Americans Captured After a Battle.

The first telegram dated Managua, states that Leroy Cannon was captured on October 21, and Leonard Groce on November 2. They were executed November 12, and no news reached the department of the execution until the 17th.

Members of the Red Cross arriving from Castillo state that Cannon and Groce were captured after a battle while they were lost on the banks of the San Juan river, and that the captain of a ship called them, promising not to harm them. These allegations were in part confirmed by the Nicaraguan press, which stated that the execution was for an attempt to blow up steamboats. The execution caused general indignation, which was shared by the commander in chief. The minister general, Irias, says he interceded on the ground of humanity. Nicaraguan lawyers maintained that the execution was unlawful. The Nicaraguan captain is in prison for having refused to carry out Zelaya's sentence that the Americans be shot.

U. S. Consul Threatened.

The consul states that he has once more been threatened by President Zelaya, indicating that other threats had been made, but on this point no information is available here.

Zelaya Preparing to Flee.

Another telegram from the consul at Managua states that on November 24 placards appeared on the walls in Managua, favoring the revolution and denouncing President Zelaya. One of the other consuls had information that President Zelaya was prepared to escape by night, and anarchy might ensue. The consul asked permission to occupy the legation premises, as being more secure against possible vandalism, and this has been granted him.

No American Marines Ashore.

Bluefields, Nov. 29.—No American marines have been put ashore here. In fact, no American warships have been here since the rebellion began.

Mexico Refused to Aid Zelaya.

San Salvador, Republic of Salvador, Nov. 29.—It is reported here that when President Zelaya of Nicaragua learned of the intention of the United States to seek reparation, he vainly appealed to Mexico for help. The minister here from Managua says that President Zelaya has now offered to summon congress and place the presidency in its hands, thus practically admitting defeat.

EVICTED WORK SUSPENDED UNTIL TOMORROW.

Strong Sympathy for the Unfortunate Mill Hands of Ludlow.

Ludlow, Mass., Nov. 29.—The most important news in the strike situation today was the report of the strikers' committee and the grievance committee of the Central Labor union of Springfield to Mayor Sanderson of that city to ask for the removal of the state board of arbitration. The strikers notified the board in Boston of the wishes of the strikers and it will be decided by the board tomorrow whether they will go to Ludlow. Earlier in the strike their services were offered and declined.

The Ludlow Manufacturing Associates today secured sixty new men to fill the places of strikers, and others will be hired as rapidly as they can be secured. The strikers are endeavoring to raise a relief fund and the sympathy for the evicted ones is so strong considerable money will probably be given. The rain of early this morning did considerable damage to the goods of the evicted strikers in the streets.

The work of eviction was suspended today, but it was announced that on Wednesday the occupants of sixteen other houses owned by the company would be ordered to leave. On Saturday twelve houses were emptied. Nearly all of the houses from which the strikers were expelled Saturday were two family structures. Practically all of the tenants were Poles. Each family had a number of lodgers and it is estimated that at least 300 persons were made homeless by the eviction proceedings.

PLOT TO KILL POLICE SERGEANT

Dynamite with Cap Found on Station Window Sill.

Fort Worth, Texas, Nov. 29.—By the opportune discovery today of a stick of dynamite with a cap attached, which had been placed on the window sill back of the sergeant's desk at the police station here, it is believed that a plot to kill one of three desk sergeants was frustrated. The explosive was so placed that a slight movement of the desk would have thrown it to the floor. It is said that the dynamite was sufficient to have wrecked the city hall.

550,000 FEET FLOOR SPACE.

Twenty-five Story Municipal Building Planned for New York.

New York, Nov. 29.—Plans for the \$7,500,000 twenty-five story municipal building, 550 feet high, were approved by the board of estimates today, and contracts for the work will be let within a few days.

This great structure, which will have most of the city departments, will be erected near the Brooklyn bridge, and will have 550,000 feet of floor space.

ASHORE OFF DIAMOND SHOALS.

Wreckers Not Likely to Save Fruit Steamer Brewster.

Norfolk, Va., Nov. 29.—Very little hope is entertained that wreckers, who are on the scene, will be able to save the fruit steamer Brewster, Captain Hine, ashore off Diamond shoals, on the North Carolina coast. The last word received here, near midnight, was that the vessel was lying with her stern to the northwest, whence a gale was blowing, and the sea was rising.

Charged With Being Interested in Black Hand Outrages.

Philadelphia, Nov. 29.—Charged with being implicated in a series of "black hand" outrages, which the police say include a triple murder, Antonio Calabro was arrested here tonight and returned to Berwick, Pa. in custody of a member of the state constabulary. His brother and another alleged member of the band were arrested today in Tamaqua, Pa., and were also sent to Berwick.

Four of Five Brothers Meet Tragic Death.

Forest, Miss., Nov. 29.—News reached here today that Dr. Clay Henderson, a prominent physician of Leake, county, was shot and killed last night by Bell Hudson, his brother-in-law, near Zion, twenty miles north of here. Details of the tragedy are not known. Dr. Henderson is the fourth of five brothers to meet a tragic death.

Cabled Paragraphs

Mellilla, Morocco, Nov. 29.—The chiefs of the important Moroccan tribes of Kabyles, Beni-Boufleur and Beni-Sidel today with much ceremony made formal submission to General Marina. The chiefs even offered to raise a native force and join the Spanish troops against such Moors as were still hostile.

Manila, Nov. 29.—Thomas Meagher, son of the Irish patriot, died today of pneumonia, following an attempt of suicide while the temporarily insane from a nervous breakdown. He was graduated from West Point and had lived many years in Montana and California. For several years he had occupied minor posts in the government here.

Paris, Nov. 29.—A wealthy peasant of Argenteuil today lodged a complaint of fraud against Leon Goldsmith, alleged to be an American doctor, and to whom the plaintiff claims he gave \$15,000 for an interest in a project to obtain gold from river sand. The peasant claims that Goldsmith placed in the river the samples of gold dust which he afterwards recovered for exhibition. Goldsmith has disappeared.

RUSSIAN NOBLEMAN

SLAYER OF M. STEINHEIL.

Reports Brought from Paris by Steamship Passengers.

New York, Nov. 29.—Gossip in Paris, according to a story brought in New York today, mentions a Russian nobleman, who subsequently committed suicide, as the slayer of M. Adolphe Steinheil, whose wife was recently acquitted of the crime and is now supposed to be in England. According to the story, this nobleman was trapped in the Steinheil mansion by the husband and in a fight which followed Steinheil was killed. Mme. Steinheil's mother in the meantime, the novel suggestion continues, rushed into the room and died either from fright or from strangulation after swallowing her false teeth.

These morbid and unconfirmed reports concerning a case which so stirred Paris came here today with the arrival of a steamship. Kronland, Alfred Partzke Klotz, an American artist, who has been commissioned to paint a portrait of Cardinal Gibbons at Baltimore, said, as did other passengers, that this version of the crime was based on French gossip, although not printed in the French papers.

MEN'S LEAGUE IN BEHALF

OF WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Novel Non-Partisan Political Organization Born in New York.

New York, Nov. 29.—A novel non-partisan political organization, with many prominent men from this city and throughout the state on its roster, was organized in New York today under the name of the Men's League for Women's Suffrage in the state of New York.

George Foster Peabody was elected president of the organization, which will direct a practical campaign throughout the state in behalf of the suffrage cause. Local organizations will be formed in the principal cities of the state.

Among the vice presidents and members of the advisory committee elected today appear the names of William Dean Howells, William M. Ivins, Herbert Parsons and Rabbi Steven S. Wise of this city. Prof. Nathaniel Schmidt of Cornell, Z. R. Brockway, former mayor of Elmira; Langdon C. Stewardson, president of Hobart college; Edwin Markham of Poughkeepsie and others.

FLEECE FARMERS

OUT OF THOUSANDS.

J. W. Wilson Arrested in San Francisco After Long Search.

San Francisco, Nov. 29.—J. W. Wilson, accused of fleecing farmers of thousands of dollars, was charged today with fraudulent use of the mails.

Wilson was arrested Sunday after a long search. He is accused of having operated several commission concerns that solicited shipments from farmers, disposed of the goods and made no returns to consignees.

Correspondence found in his trunk, the police say, indicates that he operated the following names: J. W. Watson & Co., Hamilton, Ont.; J. Webb & Co., Detroit; J. W. Ward & Co., San Diego, and the California Hay & Produce Co. of Los Angeles and Bakersfield.

NEW HAVEN YACHT DISABLED

OFF FLORIDA COAST

Narrow Escape of Those on Board—Towed into San Augustine.

St. Augustine, Fla., Nov. 29.—Overcome by gas from a broken exhaust tube of the boiler, the yacht "Florida" was disabled and was drifting helplessly. Mr. Terwilliger and Marsh were found in the engine room. It was some time before they were revived, but they are now beyond all danger from the effects of the gas.

REVISION OF THE

INTERSTATE COMMERCE LAW

Lengthy Conference at White House on This Subject.

Washington, Nov. 29.—After a lengthy conference at the White house today, it was announced tonight that the administration will exert all its influence toward obtaining a comprehensive revision of the interstate commerce law by the incoming congress. A rough draft of the proposed amendments to the law was submitted by Attorney General Wickersham and while this was considered in all its details, no decision with respect to it was reached.

H. W. Taft Re-elected President.

New York, Nov. 29.—Henry W. Taft, brother of the president, was re-elected president of the Ohio Society of New York at the annual meeting of the organization tonight. January 10 was fixed as the date for the next annual banquet of the society. Vice President Sherman will be one of the speakers.

Song Writer Dexter Smith Dead.

Boston, Nov. 29.—Dexter Smith, thirty years ago one of the best known musical artists in the country, and the author of several songs which had a wide popularity, is dead at his home in this city. Smith was born in Salem in 1858. Among his songs were "My Little Red" and "Cross and Crown."

The French Parliamentary Commission

to revise the procedure in the trial of the president, was re-elected today at the annual convention of the federation, to be held in Meriden, beginning January 12.

Connecticut Federation of Labor.

Danbury, Nov. 29.—Patrick H. Connolly, secretary of the Connecticut Federation of Labor, sent out today the call of President Donohue of Danbury for the annual convention of the federation, to be held in Meriden, beginning January 12.

Violated Anti-Gambling Law.

Oakland, Cal., Nov. 29.—Charles Brown, arrested with E. D. Martin, a charge of violating the anti-gambling law on November 27, by taking an oral bet for \$2 at the Emeryville race track, was held today to answer before the superior court. Bail was fixed at \$1,000. The case against Martin was dismissed because of insufficient evidence.

Willing to Forgive and Forget

OBJECTS TO ANY PROCEEDINGS IN COURT.

ARTIST CHRISTY'S WIFE

Talks About Family Troubles—Anxious to Bring About Speedy Reconciliation—"We Can All Be Happy."

New York, Nov. 29.—"If Howard wants to make up all he has to do is to take me in his arms, and I will forgive everything and forget all our troubles," said Mrs. Howard Chandler Christy, wife of the artist, at the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Hall, here today, as she discussed the status of the Christy family differences. She expressed this willingness to forgive and forget when informed that Mr. Christy had said in Zanesville, O., where he is contesting the habeas corpus proceedings brought by his wife, to recover possession of their ten-year-old daughter Natalie, that she must make the first step toward a reconciliation.

Husband's Relatives Started Trouble.

Mr. Christy added that she was willing to do almost anything to effect the reconciliation, except to go to Zanesville to live.

Zanesville, and some of her husband's relatives there, she said, had caused most of the trouble.

"I did not want any court proceedings," continued the artist's young wife, vigorously, "and the only reason I brought them was to get Natalie back. I was out there and I want Howard more. We can all be happy together again here in the east."

"If Howard will only see things in this light we can have a happy Christmas together."

FIVE MEN PICKED UP

WHO WERE ADRIFT IN GIG.

Crew of Gunboat Marietta Rescued by Men of the Des Moines.

Washington, Nov. 29.—Five of the members of the deck crew of the gunboat Marietta, who were adrift in a gig off Port Limon, Costa Rica, were picked up by a rescue party of the Des Moines today, according to a despatch received at the navy department this afternoon.

The five other men adrift in the whaling boat of the Marietta have not been heard of, but it is expected that their rescue will be reported soon as searching parties have been sent out for them.

The men in the boats were missing Friday, but owing to the fact that provisions are kept in the boats, it is believed they have suffered little from hunger or thirst.

SMUGGLERS ARRESTED

IN BOSTON AND NEW YORK.

Conspiracy to Defraud Government on Women's Wearing Apparel.

New York, Nov. 29.—Having arrested the Misses Mary Moore and Elizabeth Holland, dressmakers, in Boston, Saturday, federal officers arrested in New York today Philip Phillips, who was indicted with them for conspiracy to defraud the government out of duties on smuggled women's wearing apparel. Robert Schwartz, a baggage-master on the American line pier, charged with being a party to the conspiracy, was arrested several months ago. The familiar "sleeper" trunk system is alleged to have been used. Phillips paid \$5,000 bail for his appearance.

MAJORITY INTEREST ACQUIRED

By Group of Individuals in Stock Guaranty Trust Co., New York.

New York, Nov. 29.—Acting for a group of individuals whose identity is not disclosed, Henry P. Davidson, of J. P. Morgan & Co., has acquired a majority interest in the stock of the Guaranty Trust company of this city, an institution with deposits of more than \$30,000,000, through the purchase of the holdings of the Harriman estate and the Mutual Life Insurance company. The stock will be held in a voting trust for five years, the trustees of which are George F. Baker, chairman of the First National bank; Mr. Davidson and William H. Porter, president of the Chemical National bank, this indicating that the affairs of the trust company will be governed by the old-fashioned First National bank interests. It is understood that neither the policy of the administration of the company will be changed.

The amount of stock acquired was not made public, but the Harriman holdings, which were large, were supplemented by outside purchases at a price understood to be \$750 a share.

Convicted of Conspiracy to Disrupt the Peace.

Spokane, Wash., Nov. 29.—John Panner, a leader of the Industrial Workers of the World, convicted of conspiracy to disrupt the peace by encouraging street speaking by socialists, was sentenced today to six months in jail at hard labor. Evidence was introduced that Panner came to Spokane to fight the ordinance regulating street speaking and that he sent out telegrams to nearby towns calling for "men to fill the jails in Spokane."

No Electrifying Railroad Lines.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 29.—At the office of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company it is officially denied that there are any plans for the electrifying of the railroad lines between Waterbury and Hartford, or any part of it, and it is stated that the matter has not even been considered, though ultimately it is possible that on the line electrical equipment may be used.

Two Cent Fare Law Unconstitutional?

Des Moines, Iowa, Nov. 29.—Following up his Missouri decision today, Judge Smith McPherson granted a temporary injunction today forbidding the Cedar Rapids and Iowa City Railway and Light company from complying with the Iowa two cent fare law. The hearing was set for December 15.

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Condensed Telegrams

Prince Louis D. Alcantara of Bourbon, Count of Aquila, died at Nice.

Mrs. Ida Robinson, aged 102 years, the oldest woman in New Jersey, is dead.

Fred Nelson, an Animal Trainer, had a fight for his life with a baboon at Portland, Ore.

Floods Have Caused Considerable damage to the sugar and tobacco lands in Porto Rico.

The Department of Agriculture issued a bulletin on tobacco production for the year 1908.

James Freeman Curtis, the new assistant secretary of the treasury, took the oath of office.

An Immense Gathering of Advocates of waterways is promised at the rivers and harbors congress.

Joseph Loudenslager, a wealthy miller of Tiffin, O., has been sued for a gas bill of over \$3,000.

Dr. J. D. Moody, aged 58 years, former secretary of James A. Garfield, died at Los Angeles, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bork and their son were found shot to death on a road near Frontenac, Kan.

King Manuel of Portugal arrived at Paris from London and was greeted by the French foreign minister.

A Majority of the British House of Lords have decided to withhold their consent to the financial budget.

Kendall Edmund O'Brien, nationalist member of the British parliament for mid-Tipperary, Ireland, is dead.

A Commission Will Be Sent to Central America to develop a scheme for insuring peace in that quarter.

Some Germans Fear that the American exposition to be held in Berlin next summer will injure German trade.

John R. Carter, Retiring Secretary of the American embassy in London, and Mrs. Carter sailed for New York.

A Number of Enlisted Men secured commissions in the army as second lieutenants by competitive examination.

A Delegation of Porto Ricans presented a petition to President Taft asking for an amelioration of their condition.

Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst in an address in Chicago advocated the throwing of stones by the English suffragettes.

The Tunnel of the Trans-Andine railway in Chile, five miles in length and the highest in the world, was pierced.

The English Registrar General's report shows that there are more butlers in London than in other capital cities of Europe.

Misses Mary M. Moore and Isabella Holland of Boston, dealers in women's underwear, were arrested on charges of smuggling.

A Petition for a Writ of Certiorari was filed in the supreme court in behalf of Gompers, Mitchell and Morrison in the contempt case.

It is stated that No Action will be taken on the monetary commission's report on the postal savings bank bill at the coming session of congress.

Complete Reports Received in London of the vintage in France and other countries show that champagne this year are below the average in quality and quantity.

Sir William Willcocks, British engineer, has a plan for the reconstruction of the original garden of the world. He believes Noah's would have done better with a canal than with the ark.

RAILROADS ASK U. S. COURT

To Restrain Oklahoma Authorities from Collecting Tax on Their Properties.

Guthrie, Okla., Nov. 29.—Four railroad companies—the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific, the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe and the Missouri, Kansas and Texas—today asked the United States circuit court to restrain the Oklahoma state authorities from issuing tax warrants for the seizure and sale of the properties of the companies on account of the companies' failure to pay the about twenty million dollars of the one per cent, on total gross revenues. A large amount is involved.

The roads declare their rights, privileges and franchises were acquired from congress prior to Oklahoma statehood and that the state may not collect taxes on revenues arising from business conducted under these concessions.

DOUBLE TRACK WHOLE DISTANCE

Between New Haven and Poughkeepsie—Contract Let.

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 29.—The board of directors of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad company has authorized the letting of the contract for the double tracking of the line of the Berkshire division from Hawleyville to Shelton, a distance of about twenty miles. The contract will involve some heavy railroad work in the way of grading, especially between Botsford and Shelton, where the line runs between two valleys. When the line is completed there will be a double track road for the whole distance between New Haven and Poughkeepsie. The double track is to be built to provide for the largely increased business between the Poughkeepsie bridge system and New Haven.

Short \$21,034.85 in His Accounts.

Pittsburg, Nov. 29.—William C. Lilley, former treasurer of the Pittsburg presbytery, who disappeared from this city Sept. 28 last, is short to the church, according to a statement given out today at a meeting of the board of trustees of the presbytery after receiving and adopting the report of the committee appointed to investigate Lilley's affairs.

Schooner Damaged in Southwest Gale.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 29.—Schooner Elizabeth Gilbert, which arrived here from Mystic, Mass., reports having experienced strong southwest gales between Diamond Shoals and Frying Pan Shoals, splitting her sail and carrying away blocks, tackle, etc. The vessel struck Capt. Coffin during the rough sea, breaking his arm.

Son Born to Mrs. Russell Colt.

New York, Nov. 29.—Mrs. Russell Colt, better known as Ethel Barrymore, became the mother of a son early today at the home of August Belmont in this city, where the Colts have been staying. Mother and son were reported as in a delicate condition.

Boston Police Unearth Plot

IT IS SAID, TO SECURE INSURANCE MONEY.

THREE ARRESTS MADE

Two on Charge of Arson, One as Accessory—Supposed Burned Goods Found Hidden in a Shed.

Boston, Nov. 29.—An alleged conspiracy to defraud insurance companies by removing a stock of goods from a Summer street store and then setting fire to the place, was unearthed by the police tonight, who arrested Samuel I. Gordon and Morris Rudwick, on a charge of arson, and Benjamin Davies, charged with being an accessory. Later, through raids, the police recovered \$5,900 worth of furs hidden in a shed in Dorchester.

Insurance Inspectors Investigated.

The arrests are the result of a fire in the premises of Samuel I. Gordon & Co., fur dealers, 119 Summer street, on June 15, last. Following the fire, a claim of insurance was put in by the firm. The insurance inspectors on investigating found only remains of empty boxes in the store where a stock valued at \$20,000 was supposed to have been. There was no indication that the goods had been destroyed. The prisoners were connected with the firm.

OPINION HANDED DOWN, SALVAGE MAY BE CLAIMED

When Service is Rendered to Ship in Peril When in Dock.

Washington, Nov. 29.—That salvage may be claimed and collected on account of services rendered to a seagoing vessel when in peril while in dock was held by the supreme court of the United States today in deciding in favor of Simmons in the case of E. W. Simmons against the steamship Jefferson, involving such a claim.

The Jefferson is owned by the Old Dominion Steamship company and while lying in the drydock at Newport News, Va., caught fire. Simmons, as the master of a tug, went to the rescue of the ship. He afterwards brought suit in the United States district court for the eastern district of Virginia to recover salvage for his services, but that court decided against him on the ground that the word "salvage" contemplated a report rendered in connection with perils at sea, which it held a fire in a ship in a shipyard did not be.

Justice White handed down the supreme court's opinion reversing the lower court. He said that the mere fact that the vessel was undergoing repairs did not deprive the vessel of its character as an instrument of commerce nor remove its obligations in case of relief from dangers.

GAME SHIPPED IN A COFFIN.

Hunting Dog Spoils Attempt to Smuggle Partridges Out of Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 29.—An attempt by market hunters to ship 500 partridges in a coffin from upper Michigan to Milwaukee in violation of the state game law was frustrated by a hunting dog according to a report reaching the state game warden today.

Deputy Game Warden Harrington was at the railway station at Flatwood, Dickinson county, when a rough box containing a coffin was brought in for shipment. While the intending shipper, armed with a death certificate, signed by a physician, was conversing with the ticket agent, the game warden's dog scented the birds and came to a "point" focused on the box. Finally, becoming impatient, the dog began pawing at the box.

The deputy's suspicions were aroused and an investigation followed. Opening the coffin, he found 500 partridges. The birds were confiscated and the man who had brought them to the station disappeared.